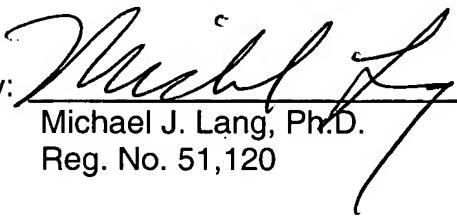


**REMARKS**

The specification has been amended to include sequence listings in the format required by 37 C.F.R. 1.821-1.825. All sequences included in the sequence listing were in the original specification and no new matter has been added to this application. It is believed that this amendment, along with the submitted CD and paper copy of the sequence listing, to be fully responsive to the outstanding Notice. Thus, prompt and favorable consideration of this amendment is respectfully requested.

Respectfully submitted,

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